

Hon. Kymberly K. Evanson

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

STATE OF WASHINGTON, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. C25-1228-KKE

**STIPULATED MOTION TO AMEND
INITIAL DISCLOSURES AND OTHER
CASE DEADLINES AND [PROPOSED]
ORDER**

Noted for Consideration:
September 29, 2025

JOINT STIPULATION

Pursuant to the Court's Order of August 1, 2025 (Dkt. 145), the parties currently have three deadlines in the month of October set to (1) conduct a Rule 26(f) conference, (2) exchange initial disclosures, and (3) file a combined joint status report and discovery plan. As previously explained to the Court, defense counsel is currently out of the office and will return on Monday, October 6, 2025. Oral argument on Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction and Defendants' Motion to Dismiss is scheduled for October 9, 2025. Because the parties believe AUSA Kipnis should take part in the Rule 26(f) conference and it would make sense for the conference to occur after the Court has issued an order on the motion to dismiss, they hereby jointly STIPULATE, AGREE, and JOINTLY REQUEST the Court to modify the scheduling order as set forth below.

<u>Deadline</u>	<u>Current Deadline</u>	<u>Proposed New Deadline</u>
Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(f) Conference	October 3, 2025	Three weeks following the Court's Motion to Dismiss Decision
Initial Disclosures Pursuant to Rule 26(a)(1)	October 17, 2025	Five weeks following the Court's Motion to Dismiss Decision
Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan as Required by Rule 26(f) and Local Civil Rule 26(f)	October 24, 2025	Six weeks following the Court's Motion to Dismiss Decision

A court may modify a schedule for good cause. Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(4). Continuing pretrial and trial dates is within the discretion of the trial judge. *King v. State of California*, 784 F.2d 910, 912 (9th Cir. 1986). For the reasons set forth above, the parties believe that there is good cause to modify the scheduling order and respectfully request that the Court grant their motion.

SO STIPULATED.

DATED this 29th day of September, 2025.

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I certify that this memorandum contains
284 words, in compliance with the
Local Civil Rules.

[PROPOSED] ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this ____ day of _____, 2025.

KYMBERLY K. EVANSON
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